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ImageMate® USB 2.0 Reader/Writer
Quick Start Guide

Product Description

The Multi-Function Hi-Speed USB 2.0 Reader/Writer for:

SDDR-92: CompactFlash® Type I/II

SDDR-99: SD, MultiMediaCard,
Memory Stick, Memory Stick PRO and xD

System Requirements

Connection

- USB 2.0 port for Hi-Speed data transfer

Minimum Operating System Support

- Windows
  - Windows 98SE (driver installation required)
  - Windows ME
  - Windows 2000
  - Windows XP

- Macintosh
  - Mac OS 9.2+, 10.1.2+

Unpacking Package Contents

- ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer (storage media not included)
- Installation CD with Windows 98SE driver and button application (Media Card Companion)
- USB cable
- Quick Start Guide

Checking

1. Unpack the packaging. Make sure you have everything listed in the **PACKAGE CONTENTS.**
2. Check your system requirements. Refer to **SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS** or the outside of the packaging.
3. Locate the USB port on your computer. See **UNDERSTANDING**.

Understanding

What's a USB port?
The Universal Serial Bus (USB) port is an easy way to connect a new device like the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer to your computer. Connecting a device to the USB port doesn't require that you open your computer to install an add-in card or set complicated switches. You just plug it in and get started.

How do I find the USB port?
The USB ports are often located on the front or back of your PC, or on a USB hub. On a laptop computer or a Macintosh, the USB port may be located on the side. The USB port looks like this.

What is the difference between Hi-Speed USB 2.0 and Full Speed USB 1.1?
Hi-Speed USB 2.0 supports the transfer of data up to 480 megabits per second (Mbps), and Full Speed USB 1.1 supports data transfer up to 12 Mbps. Hi-Speed USB 2.0 provides a dramatic improvement in data transfer performance compared to Full Speed USB 1.1. USB 2.0 is backward compatible with USB 1.1 ports. The ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer supports both USB 2.0 and USB 1.1.

Installing

Before connecting the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer to your computer, you may need to install a device driver.

- **You can skip this section** if your operating system is Windows XP, ME, 2000, Mac OS 9.2+ or Mac OS 10.1.2+ and proceed to **Installing the Button Application**

Install the Windows 98SE Driver

1. Insert the CD included with the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer device into the CD-ROM of your computer.
2. Left-click on the **START** menu and open the **RUN** menu. Click **BROWSE** to locate the drive letter of your CD-ROM.
3. Select the **\Win98\setup.exe** file and click OK. Follow the on-screen directions.

Installing the Button Application (Media Card Companion)

1. Insert the CD included with the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer device into the CD-ROM of your computer.
2. Left-click on the **START** menu and open the **RUN** menu. Click **BROWSE** to locate the drive letter of your CD-ROM.
3. Select the \Button Application\setup.exe file and click OK. Follow the on-screen directions.

Connecting

Connecting the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer to the USB port is simple. You don't need to turn off or restart your computer when attaching the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer. Since the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer is powered by the USB connection, an AC/DC power adapter is not needed.

- Before connecting the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer, complete the device driver installation. See **INSTALLING**.

Use the USB cable to connect your ImageMate to the computer directly.

When the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer is connected for the first time, your computer may display a message that the device is being installed (may vary slightly depending on your operating system).

Windows Disk Icons

When you connect the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer on a Windows operating system, a newly assigned removable disk icon drive letter representing the card slot will be shown in My Computer.

Macintosh Disk Icons

When you connect the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer on a Macintosh operating system, a removable disk icon labeled "untitled" representing the card slot will show on the desktop when a card is inserted.

Using

The ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer has one card slot that is used for different types of cards.

- SDDR-92: CompactFlash Type I /II
- SDDR-99: SD, MultiMediaCard, Memory Stick, Memory Stick PRO and xD

Inserting Cards

To insert a card into the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer slot, insert the connecter end of the card with the card label side facing up. ***DO NOT*** force the card into the slot.

LED Activity

SDDR-92 (CompactFlash Reader/Writer):

- **Windows XP:** The LED indicator turns on when a card is inserted correctly.
- **Windows 98SE/ME/2000:** The LED indicator turns on when double-click on "Removable Disk" when a card is inserted correctly.
- **Macintosh OS:** A drive icon appears on the desktop when a card is inserted correctly.
- **All operating systems:** The LED indicator blinks when data is transferred from or to the card.

SDDR-99 (5-in-1 Reader/Writer):
When the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer is installed correctly, the GREEN LED turns on. If the LED is not on:

- Check to make sure the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer is connected and the card is inserted properly.

The activity LED indicator (orange) blinks when data is transferred from or to the card.

NEVER remove the card when the ACTIVITY LED is FLASHING or BLINKING

Using it on a PC with the button application

1. Insert the Media Card
2. Press the button on the reader
3. The Media Card Companion application will load
4. If you wish to save the files to your PC choose the “Transfer all Files” button. This will allow you to either copy or move the files to the PC
5. If you wish to Select, Rename, Print, E-mail or use for Screen Saver any or all of the photos choose the “Use Photo Tools” Icon.

Using it on a PC without the button application

Here is the way to create a Folder on your Desktop and Copy and Paste your photos to it.

1. How to create a FOLDER on your Desktop

A. Place your mouse pointer somewhere on the Desktop but not on an icon.
B. Click once with the **RIGHT** mouse button, move your mouse pointer over NEW then click **FOLDER** with the **LEFT** mouse button.
C. This will create a **NEW FOLDER** on your Desktop. At this time you can name anything you like, i.e. My Pictures or Photos, by typing the name in. When you are finished typing press the **ENTER** key on your keyboard. Now the folder name is saved.

2. How to copy and paste your photos into a folder

A. Double click on the icon "My Computer".
B. Double click on the removable disk drive (for the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer), i.e. F: or G: or maybe E: Now you should see a **DCIM** folder (that stands for Digital Camera Images).
C. Double click on the DCIM folder. Now you should see your camera folder, i.e. 100Olymp or 100Canon or 100Fuji
D. Double click on the camera folder. Now you should see your pictures or picture file names (depending on what Operating System you are using).
E. Go up to the menu bar where it says **"EDIT"** and click on **"SELECT ALL"**. You will see all your pictures **HIGHLIGHTED.**
F. Go back to **"EDIT"** and now click **"COPY"**. Close or minimize this window.
G. Double click on the folder you created on your Desktop, go to **"EDIT"** then click **"PASTE"** and you should see the pictures being copied to the folder.
H. To View your Pictures Double click on the File name and the Picture will open up

Using it on Macintosh without the button application

(The button application is not compatible with the Macintosh operating systems)

1. Connect the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer to the USB port on your Mac (do not connect to Monitor or Keyboard).
2. To transfer files place a card into the Reader/Writer unit. A new drive will appear on your desktop called “untitled”.
3. Drag and drop files to and from the new drive as you would to any other disk or folder.

Removing Card

To remove the card in Windows:

1. Double click on the icon "My Computer"
2. Right-click on the corresponding ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer drive icon
3. Select Eject (this is not needed for Windows 98SE or XP)
4. Pull the card out of the slot

To remove the card on a Macintosh:

1. Drag the “untitled” icon into the Trash
2. Pull the card out of the slot

Disconnecting

You don’t need to shut down your computer to disconnect the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer, but you should **NEVER** remove the device from the USB port without first reading the steps below.
If a drive window is open or the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer is active, close any associated windows before attempting to remove the ImageMate.

Windows

Use the hotplug icon in the notification area of the taskbar to safely stop the device before unplugging it. The notification area is on the right side of the taskbar where you usually see the time displayed.

- These steps are not required for Windows 98SE or XP

1. In the notification area, right-click on the hotplug icon
2. Select the device you want to unplug then click **STOP**
3. When Windows notifies you that it is safe to do so, unplug the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer from your computer

Macintosh

1. Drag the ImageMate USB 2.0 Reader/Writer “untitled” icon into the Trash.
2. Unplug the device.

Troubleshooting

For FAQs on error messages please go to our website at
http://www.sandisk.com/retail/support.asp
For assistance by phone please call toll free 866-SANDISK (866-726-3475) M-F 7AM till 4 PM PST

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